



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1711
PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.: 10/791,387

Group Art Unit: 1711

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Examiner: Irina Sophia ZEMEL

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For: EXPANDABLE RESIN COMPOSITION AND PROPYLENE-BASED RESIN FOAM

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Petition for an Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith, extending the due date for responding to the Office Action to May 17, 2007.

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